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**Sent:** 7/23/2018 2:05:24 PM  
**To:** Baca, Michael, NMENV [michael.baca1@state.nm.us]  
**Subject:** Sustained wind speeds  
**Attachments:** 2013 5 10 Interim High Winds Guidance.pdf

Mike, As we briefly discussed last week, I am reviewing the first draft of the revisions to the 2013 High Wind Guidance document (attached). The revised guidance document could be released for external review or use sometimes in the fall of 2018.

I noted some language in the draft revised guidance document and coordinated with headquarters on the language. It turned out that the language in question, came directly from the 2013 High Wind Guidance – see section 6.3.2.2 that starts on page 44 of 82 of the attached pdf. I understand that the 2013 guidance indicates source area wind speed data of less than hour can be potential evidence that wind speeds were greater or equal to High Wind Threshold. Of course, unless contradicted by other evidence and all available evidence should be considered.

Until the revised guidance document is released, there are no guarantees the concepts in 2013 guidance in section 6.3.2.2 will be brought into the final 2018 revisions. Since this 2013 language relates to our conversations last week, I wanted to bring it to your attention.

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**From:** Crawford, Dorothy  
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**Subject:** NMED 2017 Exceedances

My bad, the Deming airport May 6, 2017, hourly wind speed data does not show sustained >25 mph. You were right, summary page indication was using NOAA definition of sustained winds.

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